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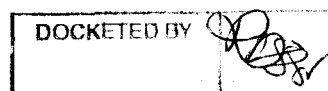
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The Honorable Gary Pierce, Chairman
The Honorable Bob Stump
The Honorable Paul Newman
The Honorable Sandra Kennedy
The Honorable Brenda Burns

Arizona Corporation Commission
1200 W. Washington
Phoenix, AZ 85007

RE: Potential Reinstatement of TEP Line Extension Policies, Docket Nos: E-01933A-07-0402, E-01933A-05-0650, and E-00000J-10-0044

Dear Chairman Pierce:

Thank you for considering reinstating TEP's line extension policies. These policies have caused many challenges for the home building industry. The additional costs, several thousands of dollars per lot, make it hard to compete in the current market.

Home building is an essential component of the local economy. Collectively we must work to find ways to get home builders back to work. Reinstating TEP's line extension policies will provide important and necessary relief for the home building industry in the Tucson region.

Sincerely,

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